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AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS National Regional Profile, 2000 to 2004
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SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - September quarter						
Unemployment	no.	-	-	4,595	4,600	3,481
Unemployment rate	%	-	-	9.4	9.9	7.2
LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCE - year ended 30 June						
Total Revenue	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Expenses	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Net Operating Balance (Revenue less Expenses)	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Assets	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total Liabilities	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
GFS Net Worth (Assets less Liabilities)	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Net Debt (Financial Liabilities less Financial Assets)	$'000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
SELECTED INCOME SUPPORT CUSTOMERS - at June						
Age pension	no.	-	-	11,937	12,437	-
Disability support pension	no.	-	-	5,821	5,993	-
Newstart allowance	no.	-	-	4,828	4,539	-
Parenting payment - single	no.	-	-	2,929	3,124	-
Youth allowance	no.	-	-	2,681	2,622	-
Other pensions and allowances	no.	-	-	5,645	5,411	-
Total selected income support customers	no.	-	-	33,841	34,124	-
Percentage of long-term Newstart allowance customers	%	-	-	71.3	70.9	-
AVERAGE INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL TAXABLE INCOME - year ended 30 June	$	30,390	32,338	33,239	34,243	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	36,050	36,046	35,839	37,235	-
Wage and salary income	$m	1,039.1	1,072.9	1,102.6	1,185.5	-
Total income	$m	1,084.4	1,134.4	1,162.6	1,246.7	-
Average wage and salary income	$	28,823	29,765	30,765	31,837	-
Average total income	$	30,081	31,470	32,439	33,481	-

SOURCE OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Proportion of total personal income						
Wage and salary	%	66.6	65.9	-	-	-
Own unincorporated business	%	7.8	7.6	-	-	-
Investment	%	4.5	5.2	-	-	-
Superannuation and annuity	%	2.1	2.1	-	-	-
Government cash benefit	%	18.5	18.7	-	-	-
Other income	%	0.5	0.5	-	-	-
Total income from all sources	$m	1,600.0	1,681.0	-	-	-
LAND AREA	km2	-	-	-	-	22,492.3
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	283	213	284	318	543
Total dwelling units	no.	319	218	298	338	645
Value of total residential building	$m	39.2	32.0	42.5	51.8	103.6
Value of total non-residential building	$m	24.4	24.4	34.0	46.2	29.7
Value of total building	$m	63.6	56.4	76.5	98.0	133.3
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	-	-	1,590	1,636	1,772
Other vehicles	no.	-	-	1,162	1,353	1,615
Total vehicles	no.	-	-	2,751	2,989	3,387
VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION - year ended 30 June						
Value of crops	$m	-	152.9	-	-	-
Value of livestock slaughterings and other disposals	$m	-	68.2	-	-	-
Value of livestock products	$m	-	93.9	-	-	-
Total value of agricultural production	$m	-	315.1	-	-	-
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX- at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	3,752	3,689	3,589	3,544	3,438
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	4,234	4,144	4,066	3,942	3,856
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	4,128	4,137	4,088	4,107	4,137
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3,919	3,837	3,783	3,819	3,873
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	2,858	2,763	2,834	2,997	3,040
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	3,238	3,051	2,871	2,777	2,790

Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	3,568	3,508	3,500	3,423	3,326
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	4,133	3,918	3,749	3,669	3,609
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	3,960	4,059	4,143	4,175	4,143
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	3,790	3,740	3,683	3,786	3,932
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3,556	3,663	3,601	3,666	3,701
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3,011	3,068	3,253	3,415	3,495
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2,577	2,695	2,739	2,840	2,926
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	2,160	2,176	2,234	2,290	2,382
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1,832	1,851	1,865	1,895	1,934
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1,284	1,335	1,375	1,400	1,449
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	708	763	796	864	893
Males - 85 years and over	no.	443	474	487	493	519
Males - total	no.	53,151	52,871	52,656	53,102	53,443
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	3,540	3,584	3,471	3,387	3,273
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	4,068	3,977	3,829	3,737	3,724
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3,897	3,906	3,926	3,911	3,920
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	3,699	3,566	3,573	3,686	3,705
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	2,776	2,771	2,738	2,772	2,800
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	3,451	3,195	2,984	2,841	2,850
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	3,736	3,738	3,725	3,741	3,626
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	4,238	4,048	3,882	3,852	3,810
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	4,072	4,159	4,147	4,118	4,138
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	3,702	3,717	3,823	3,880	3,933
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	3,538	3,609	3,552	3,605	3,679
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	2,872	2,957	3,135	3,347	3,495
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	2,513	2,585	2,619	2,702	2,831
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	2,214	2,210	2,260	2,308	2,370
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1,967	1,972	2,011	2,036	2,014
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1,761	1,773	1,751	1,786	1,809
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1,191	1,217	1,260	1,292	1,355
Females - 85 years and over	no.	936	971	1,050	1,091	1,143
Females - total	no.	54,171	53,955	53,736	54,092	54,475
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	7,292	7,273	7,060	6,931	6,711
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	8,302	8,121	7,895	7,679	7,580
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	8,025	8,043	8,014	8,018	8,057
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	7,618	7,403	7,356	7,505	7,578
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	5,634	5,534	5,572	5,769	5,840
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	6,689	6,246	5,855	5,618	5,640

Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	7,304	7,246	7,225	7,164	6,952
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	8,371	7,966	7,631	7,521	7,419
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	8,032	8,218	8,290	8,293	8,281
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	7,492	7,457	7,506	7,666	7,865
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	7,094	7,272	7,153	7,271	7,380
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	5,883	6,025	6,388	6,762	6,990
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	5,090	5,280	5,358	5,542	5,757
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	4,374	4,386	4,494	4,598	4,752
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	3,799	3,823	3,876	3,931	3,948
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	3,045	3,108	3,126	3,186	3,258
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1,899	1,980	2,056	2,156	2,248
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	1,379	1,445	1,537	1,584	1,662
Persons - total	no.	107,322	106,826	106,392	107,194	107,918
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION at 30 June	%	-	5.3	-	-	-
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2001						
Total Born overseas	%	-	7.7	-	-	-
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	1.0	-	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	5.2	-	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	0.5	-	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	0.3	-	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	0.1	-	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	0.2	-	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	0.2	-	-	-
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2001	%	-	1.5	-	-	-
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER - Census 2001						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	0.5	-	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	0.6	-	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	4.7	-	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	4.3	-	-	-
Certificate	%	-	16.4	-	-	-

Inadequately described or Not stated	%	-	11.6	-	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	38.2	-	-	-
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS : PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2001						
Managers and Administrators	%	-	10.0	-	-	-
Professionals	%	-	12.5	-	-	-
Associate Professionals	%	-	10.9	-	-	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	%	-	13.9	-	-	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	%	-	2.7	-	-	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	%	-	14.5	-	-	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	%	-	12.1	-	-	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	%	-	9.5	-	-	-
Labourers and Related Workers	%	-	11.9	-	-	-
Inadequately described or Not stated	%	-	2.2	-	-	-
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2001						
Lone person households	no.	-	10,357	-	-	-
Group households	no.	-	795	-	-	-
Family households	no.	-	28,376	-	-	-
Total households	no.	-	39,528	-	-	-
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2001						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	10,360	-	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	2,174	-	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	11,310	-	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	3,264	-	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	1,102	-	-	-
Other familes	no.	-	310	-	-	-
Total families	no.	-	28,520	-	-	-
PROPORTION OF POPULATION IN REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2001						
Major cities	%	-	0.0	-	-	-
Inner regional	%	-	21.3	-	-	-
Outer regional	%	-	73.4	-	-	-
Remote	%	-	3.7	-	-	-
Very remote	%	-	1.6	-	-	-
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June	persons/km2	-	-	-	-	4.8

BIRTHS AND DEATHS						
Births - year ended 31 December	no.	1,394	1,397	1,334	1,259	1,278
Crude birth rate	rate	12.9	13.0	12.5	11.7	11.8
Deaths - year ended 31 December	no.	850	884	897	893	838
Crude death rate	rate	7.9	8.2	8.4	8.3	7.7
PROPERTY SALES - year ended 30 June						
Residential - Number of sales	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Residential - Mean sales price	$	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other - Number of sales	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Other - Mean sales price	$	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total - Number of sales	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total - Mean sales price	$	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
PROPERTY VALUATIONS - at 1 July						
Roll entries	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Land Value	$000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Capital value	$000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Assessed annual value	$000	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
RATEABLE LAND USE AREAS - at May						
Commercial	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
Industrial	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
Primary Production	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
Public service/local govt	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
Mining	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
Residential	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
Recreation	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
Vacant land	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
Total land	ha	-	-	-	n.a.	-
ROADS OWNED BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT - at 30 June						
Urban sealed	km	-	-	-	-	n.a.
Urban unsealed	km	-	-	-	-	n.a.
Rural sealed	km	-	-	-	-	n.a.
Rural unsealed	km	-	-	-	-	n.a.
Total roads	km	-	-	-	-	n.a.
ROADS OWNED BY STATE GOVERNMENT - at 30 June						

Urban sealed	km	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Rural sealed	km	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Rural unsealed	km	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total roads	km	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
NATIONAL ROADS - at 30 June						
Urban sealed	km	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Rural sealed	km	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total roads	km	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
PUBLIC HOUSING RENTAL PROPERTIES - at 30 June						
1 bedroom	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
2 bedroom	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
3 bedroom	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
4+ bedrooms	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Total properties	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
PUBLIC RENTAL OCCUPANTS BY AGE - at 30 June						
Persons aged 0-14 years	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Persons aged 15-34 years	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Persons aged 35-44 years	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Persons aged 55-74 years	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Persons aged 75+ years	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Total persons	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
Total households	No.	-	-	-	n.a.	n.a.
HOUSEHOLDS WAITING FOR PUBLIC HOUSING - at 30 June						
Length of wait : 0-6 months	No.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Length of wait : 6 months-2 years	No.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Length of wait : 2-5 years	No.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Length of wait : 5+ years	No.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Length of wait : undetermined	No.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total	No.	-	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
LICENSED GAMING MACHINES AND PREMISES - at April						
Licensed Gaming Premises	No.	-	-	-	-	n.a.
Machines	No.	-	-	-	-	n.a.
REGISTER OF THE NATIONAL ESTATE, LISTINGS BY TYPE - at 30 June						

Indigenous	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Historic	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Natural	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Total	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.

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